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es the Lowest

CLINE.

Anorthound last week ] SNOW!! Who ever saw so much now fall in Western Oklahoma? Not yours truly" and I have lived here 20 cars. The snow is 20 inches on the verige and still falling.

Some people in this end of the couny say they think the Lord is intending o smother as with snow instead of detrajing by fire.

J. E. Over is loosing cattle every

Mr., Stauley Wiles nee Bernie Ovet as been snowbound at Englewood for bree days and is still in town at presest writing.

Henry Fosher lost 3 head of cattle end has 5 that has to be "railed up." Civde and Hardy Pitts also lost a

salf apiece last night. Mump! Who hasn't had the numps or been exposed in this vicinity Miss Walter, the school teacher, has just recovered and A. H. Laverty has just taken them.

Philhs Huret came out to his homestead about ten days ago.

Mrs. Stanley Wiles intends to make couple months visit with parents and relatives before she returns to Kausas City, her future home.

The Young Maid. CROOKED CREEK [Snewbound last week.]

Snow! Snow! Snow! Only about 2 feet deep on the level here in this vicinity. It commenced to snow Monday night and never ceased until Thursday night about 10:30 o'clock.

Born to George Pemberton and wife on March 2d, a son. The mother and babe are getting along nicely and Geo. is still able to get out and feed cattle.

Perry Eliason caught three covotes March 3d while the stow was soft, He ran them down with a horse-something new for this country.

Miss Bout well dismissed her school last Thursday evening until the weather is better. The children couldn't get to school through the snow.

John Pemberton is on the sick list this week with the mumps.

Everybody is complaining about the earcity of fuel in this vicinity.

George Berends is very sick at this writing with inflammatory rheumatism,

The storm was very hard on cattle but there is no loss to speak of here in this corner. All had plenty of feed for their stock and gave them plenty to

This storm has raised the price of hay in this sicinity and there will not be so much for sale as before either.

> The Crooked Creek Budge KOKOMO.

On hearing what long faces some of

Mr. Hanlin has had a nephew visitng him the past week.

The people in this vicinity are quite under the weather with bad colds.

The oyster supper given at Mr. Cope's last Wednesday night was well attended, people coming from Clear creek and Liberal, and all had a splen-

B. C. Cope and J. R. Printz went to Liberal after rauch supplies. They got caught in the storm and left their toads in town and came home Sunday as there were no men left at the ranches to look after the stock. They went back after their loads last week and arrived here Saturday but had to break ice before crossing the river.

Lamon Holland had the misfortune of getting his arm broken a short time ago but is doing nicely now.

Jim Pierson is keeping house now. We saw him bealing furniture ever to his place some time ago but he says he he don't like to batch because it is too lonesome. What does that mean girl-?

WILLIE.

LOGAN.

[Snowbound last week.]

Hezzie Barrett returned some time ago to Vilas, Colorado, after spending mouth in this vicinity.

Francis Evans who has been very sick for some time is recovering slowly bough he is far from being back to his usual health.

Mr. Flynn, of Lucas, lowe, is visit-Mr. Pim, who was an old time friend and neighbor. Mr. Fiynn says they were having some winter in lows when he left a few days ago.

Miss Lillie Evans, who has been sich ber grandperents near Perry since last summer, is at home again. Her parents sent for her when Prancis was

Dovie Evans has been quite sich

The mail carriers have had a toruli ime of it the hat week but the drivers on both routes have made their trips on

Custer county Wednesday returning Saturday eye. On his return be encountered at Woodward a delegation from Gathrie consisting of Territorial fficers and others encoute to Supply to investigate the advisability of the old military establishment for a Territorial image asylum.

COIN. The recent snow began February 23, and lasted until the 27th, continuing day and night. The snow was very wet and at times was simost rain. Some damage was done by the weight of the snow several cattle sheds being broken down. The snow is about all

The feed which was raised in abundauce last year will all be fed.

The snow has put the ground in fine condition for spring work.

Many homesteads have been taken n this vicinity and if it continues so the range will not be so extensive as

George Coshow was called to hold an nquest the 4th of March, over a dead body which was found near Gate in a house. The man's brother was telegraphed for and arrived and took charge of the corpse and property.

The Garland school will soon be out Mrs. Longmore is getting well. Mrs. Bateman is visiting Mr. Shack-

ee's folks at Pratt. Kansas. Virgil Miller is staying at Korthals this winter.

There is a new store going to commence business on the Pieratt flat by

March, 15. John Bateman found his pet dog in an old well since the snow. He roped

him and pulled him out. The river is up a little since the snow has been melting.

A great many people were out of fuel when the snow came.

The jackrabbits have been doing a great damage to Korthale' apple trees since the snow.

Fred Taintor has been on his ranch for several weeks. Julius Krage had a colt booked and

killed by his cows last week.

JUMBO JR.

Vacant Land in Oklahoma Of the set.lement of Oklahoma lands Governor Ferguscu says:

During the past year some 2,968,000 acres of land have been settled upon, and there is yet remaining about 3. 768,000 which is sot included in the true, and judgment rendered in favor of plain reserves and is open for settlement. While the greater portion is best adapt. nw% Sec 20, 7 s N. of Range 17 E. C. M., all where choice farming land can be obtained. It is a notable fact that Mr. McFarland's neighb rs wore after where supposed arid regions have been this storm, Bob said he had a notion | ploughed and cultivated, nature has to send them some medicine for their year by year come to the rescue with sufficient moisture to raise bountiful crops and fruits, and thus proved carly impressions fallacious and rewarded the venturesome pioneer. Thus has the Great American desert, of the old geographies been made to blossom as the

The following shows the amount of

	land still vacant in the different coun-
	ties:
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	-Guthrie Leader.
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·	WEST 17 12 YEAR 17 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12

School Report. Report of fourth month of Kokomo chool ending Jan., 30, 1903: No. enrolled

Av daily attendance Av deportment Those neither absent nor ing the month were: Beulah, Howard, Robert and Willie

Wilson, and Bessie Shore. Others not absent: Forrest Woolery, Walter and Oscar

Edus E. Shore,

We have purchased one of the latest improved well drille and are now prepared to put down wells through any kind of soil, quicksand or rock. For further particulars see or write,

Beaver, O F.

Rotice is hereb given that F. I. Westmer and C mpany" have this day flid their peri-tion to sell at retail, mart, spirituous and vi-nous liquors on let a of olock is, in the terms

of Guymon, Peaver county, Oklah as terri-tury, for the period of a year. And the t unless writt a objection thereto March, A. D. 1903, said petition will be graut-

Asted Benver, Oklahoma, March, s. 1903. County Clerk PP . 12 LP . 16

Estray Notice. Notice is her by given that Frank P. Net'l whose post office address is Boyd, Peaver e unty, Oklahoma territory did on the 2.d as carrays the following described out les wit One red and white sported two-ye rold steer branded bar on left hip and lazy T on left jaw; earmarked under half crop the laht and underslope the left.

That said on ray was taken up on and is be ing & id on he southwest quarter of section to intownship ; worth of range 20 kCM and the range i that immediate vie nigeril de Keke mo townsh p. B aver county, Oklations, and In testimony wh reof I have bereunte at

my hand and affixed my official seal this 4th lay of March, A. D. 19-3. P. C. Tracy.

Laud Office at Woodward, O. T.,

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention o make final proof to support of her claim and that said proof will be made before II. D. Messe, probute judge, in and for Beaver

Ordella Rushing, heir of and for the heirs of Mary S. Lowis, HA No 21st for the nell, Sec 9 She names the following witnesses to prove

her continuous residence upon and cultvation of said land vir: Jackson Rushi ie, Adio Hess, Prudence Springer Hess, Richard Bores, Custer, O. T.

P. D. HEALT, Register. PP 1 1. LP 4 16 Land Office at Woodward, U. T.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her fore E P. Kelly, clark of the District Court for Beaver county, O. T., or in his absence before his deputy at Beaver, O. T., on Meh 31, 1903,

Elgira Thompson formerly Elgira Kinslow. Seaver, O. T., HA Sil for the Lots 1 and 2 and e% nw%, Sec 31, T 4 N, R s4 ECM. She names the following witnesses to prove

her continuous residence upon, and cultiva-tion of said land, vis: Eugene Groves, James V. Thompson, Ananias Cranmer, Charles Cranmer, of Beaver, O.

F D. HRALT Register. FPs-26 LP 3 16

In the District Court of said County. Territory of Oklahoms,

County of Beaver, J. L. Grimmer, Pialutiff, vs. Lewis C. Hendren, Defendant.

Lewis C. Hendren, defend out above named, will take notice that he has been sued in the District Court of Beaver county, Oklahoma, by J. L. Grimmer, plaintiff above named, for the sum of \$1000.00, and interest thereon at the rate of 8 per c ut per aunum, from the 30th day of June, 1893, upon a certain promis-sory note, and that defendant must answer plaintiff's petition on or before the 15th day of Apr 1, look or said petition will be taken a tiff, against said defendant for said sum and costs, and that the will awk See Is and the will

operty of said defendant, and heretsfore by will be sold and the proceeds thereof applied toward the payment of said Judgment and

J I. Grimmer, Plaintiff.

R. H. Lo stbours w Attys. for Plaintiff. FP1 5 LP4 9 CONTEST NOTICE.

By C. R. Wright.

Department of the Interior U. s. La.d Office, Woodward, O. 1 Fub 26, 1903 A sufficient contest affidavit having b en filed in this office by Austin Rader. fled in this office by Austin Rader, con-testant, against Homestood entry No. 2074 made June, 3. 1901, for Lots : and sand sig north-cast quarter, of Section 3. T i, N, Range 2; E., by David R, Glas-Conte to, in which it is alleged that said David B Ginscow, has never established residence upon said tract per improved no oultivated the same as required by law; that on the st day of September, 1962, the said David B. G. asc w obtained leave of absence from said land for a period of one year from said date; that said leave of absence was fraueulently obtained in this towit :- that he never establish d residence therson nor in any way improved the land nor cultivated the some prior to the date of said application for said leave of absence; that the said defau t has not been cured and that said alleged sheence from the said land was sot due to his employment in any capacity, in the Army, Navy or Marine corps of the United testant is ready to prove st such time and place as may be named by the Register and Receiver of the United States Land office for a bearing in said case. Baid parties are hereby notified to appear respond to O'clock a. m. on May. 5th., 1903 before the Register and Receiver at U. S. Land Office

The said contestant having in a proper affi davit flied Feb. vy. 1903, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made it is hereby or 89.11-15 dered and directed that such nofice be given

by due and proper publication.

B. S. Wiggins, Receiver.

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### \$500.00 Reward.

The above sum will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any one guilty of killing stealing or depredating on any cattle belonging to me.

FRED TAINTON, Englewood, Kan. \$500.00 Reward.

The above sum will be paid for in-

Grand Valley, O, T,

formation leading to the arrest and sonviction of any one guilty of killing stealing or depredating on any eattle belonging to me.

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Lonves Mulvane 1 30 p. m Arrives at Wichita 2100 p. m Leaves Wichita Leeves Mulvane Legres Ashland Ameives at Englowood

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Land Office at Woodward, O. T.

January 24, 1903. named settler has filed notice of her in tention to make final proof in support of her claim and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Woodward, U. T., on March, 23

Mrs. Nancy Grosh, widow of John C. Logar for the e% ne%, sw% ne% and se% nw%; Fee 28, T 1 N, R 26 E CM, She names the following witnesses to prove

his continuous residence upon and cultiva :alv, beat best biss to soll and Orlie Cartright, all of Lockwood, O. T.

F. D. HEALY, Register. FPr-12 LP Land Office at Woodward, O. T

Feb 12 1903 amed settlers have filed notice of their intention to make fual proof in support of their ore E. P. Kelly, elerk of the distric court of Beaver county, Oklahoma Territory deputy district clerk, at the office of clerk at Beaver, Oklahoma Territory, on

Thomas Roberts, Clear Lake, O. T., HA No. lone? for the w% self. Sec 2 and w% nelf, S Jacob Dorcutt, Clear Lake, O. T., HA 11310 for the swk, Sec 1, Tp 2 N, R .5 ECM They name the following witnesses to prove

their continuous residence upon and culti-

vation of, said lands, viz:

spril, 18, 1903, viz:

For Thomas Roberts: Jacob Doreutt, Jacob Eley, James B. Cultom, Thomas E. Barr, of Clear Lake, O. T. For Jacob Doroutt: Jacob Eley, James B. ullom Thomas B. Barr, Thomas Roberts, of

F. D. HEALT, Register.

LP 3 26

Land Office at Woodward, O. T. Notice is hereby given that the following amed settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before H. D. Meese, probate judge in and for Beaver county, O, T., at Beaver, O. T., on

George P. Brown, of Beaver. O. T.,

for the elf awk swil, Sug 27, sell self, Bec 18, He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivati of said land, vis:

John J. Gottsinger, David M. Kile, Fred C Tracy, Beaver, O. T., Solomon Blosser, Elm F. D. HEALT, Register,

FP8-12 LP4 16 Liquor Notice.

Notice is hereby given that John T. Sullivan and Edward F. Hanelton, did on the cit day of Fub. A. D. 1803, file their petition to sell at z-tail mait, spirituous and vinous liquors on Lot; of Block 11 in the town of Gaymon, Beaver county. Oklahoma territory, for the period of one year.

And that unless written objection thereto be sled in my office on or before the sith day of March. A. D. 1803, and polition will be granted.



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